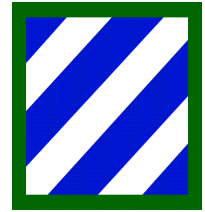


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Soldier killed in vehicle fire identified

FORT STEWART, Ga. (Dec. 12, 2007) – A Fort Stewart-Hunter Army Airfield Soldier found dead in his car Saturday night by Savannah-Chatham Metropolitan Police has been identified.

Dead is Sgt. Hawanta Houston, a heavy equipment mechanic who was assigned to the 110th Transportation Company, 260th Quartermaster Battalion, 3rd Sustainment Brigade. Houston was found by police in his fire-destroyed vehicle in Clover Village Apartments in Savannah. He joined the Army in May 2000 and arrived at Fort Stewart in Aug. 2006.

The incident is under investigation by Savannah-Chatham Metropolitan Police. Requests for information should be directed to SCMPD Public Affairs at 912-651-6666.